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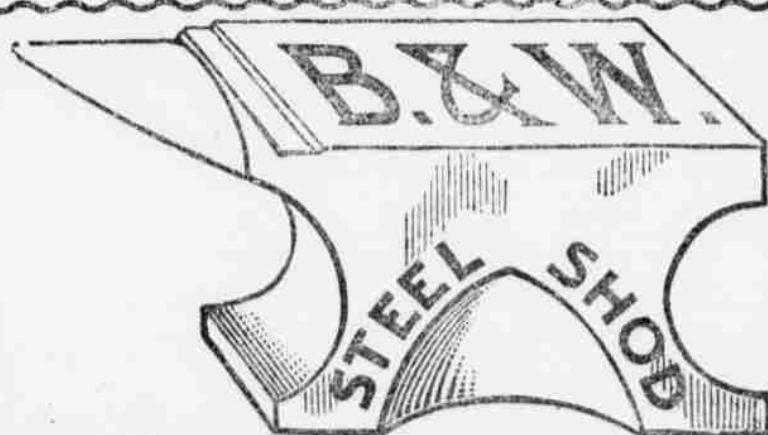
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1-10, 13-14	Lihue
11-12	Kilauea
15-17	Kekaha
18-21	McBryde
22-30	Maunaloa

Kauai's Young
People

Christmas Poems

Christmas Again

Christmas again, with its joy and its cheer,
Christmas again! How it brightens the year,
Christmas again! How it makes us recall
The Star o'er the stable,
The Child in the stall!

Christmas

Everywhere, everywhere, Christmas tonight!
Christmas in lands of the fir-tree and pine,
Christmas in the land of the palm-tree and vine.
Christmas where snow-peaks stand solemn and white,
Christmas where corn-fields lie sunny and bright,
Everywhere, everywhere, Christmas tonight!
Christmas where children are hopeful and gay,
Christmas where old men are patient and gray,
Christmas where peace, like a dove in its flight;
Broods o'er brave men in the thick of the fight;
Everywhere, everywhere, Christmas tonight!
For the Christ-child who comes is the Master of all,
No place too great and no cottage too small,
The angels who welcome him sing from the height;
"In the city of David, a King in his might."
Everywhere, everywhere, Christmas tonight!
Then let every heart keep its Christmas within,
Christ's pity for sorrow, Christ's hatred of sin,
Christ's care for the weakest, Christ's courage for right,
Christ's dread of the darkness, Christ's love of the light.
Everywhere, everywhere Christmas tonight!
So the stars of the midnight which compass us around
Shall see a strange glory, and hear a sweet sound,
And cry, "Look! the earth is aflame with delight,
O sons of the morning, rejoice at the sight."
Everywhere, everywhere, Christmas tonight! *Phillips Brooks.*

A Child's Christmas Prayer

Please listen, dear Lord Jesus,
To what I pray tonight,
I dess you'll never mind it,
If it doesn't sound jes' right.
I'm doin' to ask a favor,
My mama says I may,
Because tomorrow's Christmas,
Your velly own birthday.
You see I've hung my tottin',
But never mind vat now,
I s'pose it will be cram full,
It always is somehow.
It's 'bout poor little chillen
I want to 'peak to you;
Ve owns my mama doesn't know,
Dear Christ, what will vey do?
Please make 'em have a good time,
An' 'give 'em lots of toys,
An' books, an' coats, an' mittens,
Pings for good girls an' boys.
I don't know how you'll do it,
ut 'pose you know ve way;
O please let everybody
Be happy Christmas day,
— L. B. C., in *Youth's Companion.*

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"Engaged to Martha Tyler? Mrs. Ward gasped when her brother announced the interesting news to her. "Why, it's the most absurd thing I ever heard of."

At this rather unusual form of congratulation her brother Leonard laughed.

"On the principal that there's no fool like an old fool?" he inquired. "Well, since we are in for adages, as one might say, 'It's never too late to mend.' And, joking aside, I'm surely the luckiest fellow in the world to have the finest and best girl in the world saved for me all this time. I can hardly believe it's true."

From that moment his sister always said, he never had a glimmer of intelligence until after the wedding.

The affair had developed with remarkable suddenness while Leonard was passing the holidays with his sister, Leonard and Martha Tyler had known each other from childhood. So there was more than one covert smile and sarcastic comment when, after going east and remaining for a year, Leonard returned and, at the ripe age of forty-five, fell desperately in love with Martha, aged forty.

Leonard came west again a week before the wedding—another evidence of insanity, his sister said.

The day before the wedding he and Martha disappeared as completely as if the earth had swallowed them up. It was ten o'clock that morning before Mrs. Ward realized that her brother had left the house without informing anybody as to his intentions. She called up Martha's sister, with whom Martha had made her home, and asked if Leonard was there. The two had gone out together some time before.

"Didn't they say anything about getting a license?" inquired Mrs. Ward.

Martha's sister was sure that nothing of the sort had been said in her presence. Mrs. Ward hung up the telephone receiver and then gave herself up to the hopeless process of trying to convince herself that James couldn't have been such an idiot as to forget the marriage license.

At eleven o'clock that night Leonard wandered in, happy and without the license. To do him justice, he was quite as much disturbed as the most exacting sister could have wished when he was told that there would be barely time in the morning for them to go down and get it and return for the ceremony.

He rose bright and early the next morning and seemed so alive to the seriousness of the occasion that his sister allowed him to leave the house without any misgivings as to what he might do while away. However, as time passed and he did not return, her serenity deserted her. She fidgeted uncomfortably for 15 minutes or so, then called up Martha's home. She was informed by the maid who answered the telephone that Leonard had just left the house. A subsequent short interview with Martha's sister revealed the fact that Martha and Leonard only a few moments before, when both their toilets should have been well on the way to completion, had been found reading poetry in the library.

"He certainly is crazy," said Leonard's sister, almost in a tone of awe.

"Not a bit more crazy than she is," said Martha's sister.

Fifteen minutes after Leonard had returned home and then had disappeared into his own room, with strict instructions from his sister not to do any more foolish things until after he was married, Mrs. Ward heard a weak voice call:

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ling from the hall.

"Carrie," the voice was saying, "I wonder if you could help me."

Mrs. Ward went to the door of her room and looked out. In the hall, looking thinner and more forlorn than she had any idea he could look, stood her brother. In one hand he held a small jar about half full of some sort of yellowish, greasy concoction, in the other an uncomfortable looking towel. With the towel he now and then gave futile dabs at his face, down which was sliding in slippery streams the other half of the contents of the jar, mingled with slippery brooklets of soapy water.

"What is it?" he asked, forlornly. "I thought it—it was a shampoo, but it seems so queer."

Mrs. Ward snapped the jar out of his hand. "Why, you great idiot," she said, with more force than politeness, "it's goosegrease! It's appropriate enough, I'm sure."

For a minute she gave herself up to the joy of contemplating him. Then she took him firmly by the arm and led him back to the bathroom, where she soaped him and stood him on his head in the wash-bowl and rinsed him and then began the process all over again. Within half an hour of the time set for the wedding she pronounced him sufficiently cleaned.

Some time later, just after embracing the bridegroom, who looked so rare that he might have been called raw, Mrs. Ward turned to the bride.

"Martha," she said, "I have always thought that I'd hate to give Leonard up to anybody, but after this last week I've changed my mind. I have enough natural affection left to hope that you'll be kind to him, but, even if I knew you'd beat him, I'd be glad to turn him over to you. You're more than welcome to him."

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